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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status
(see 37 CFR §1.27)
- Specification Total Pages [45]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings *(if filed)*
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 USC §113) Total Sheets [6]
- Oath or Declaration Total pages [2]
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 complete)
 - i. DELETION OF INVENTORS
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR §§1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR §1.76

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Prior application information: Examiner: _____ Group/Art Unit: _____

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Group/Art Unit	Not assigned
Attorney Docket No.	8035M

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)				FEES CALCULATION (continued)			
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to: Deposit Account Number 16-2480 Deposit Account Name The Procter & Gamble Company [X] Charge Any Additional Fee <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §127 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17				3. ADDITIONAL FEES Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Code (\$) Code (\$) Code (\$) Code (\$) 105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath <input type="checkbox"/> 127 50 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet <input type="checkbox"/> 139 130 139 130 Non-English specification <input type="checkbox"/> 147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination <input type="checkbox"/> 112 920* 112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner's action <input type="checkbox"/> 113 1,840* 113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner's action <input type="checkbox"/> 4. BASIC FILING FEE Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Code (\$) Code (\$) Code (\$) Code (\$) 101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee [710] 115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within 1 st month <input type="checkbox"/> 106 320 206 160 Design filing fee <input type="checkbox"/> 116 390 216 195 Extension for reply within 2 nd month <input type="checkbox"/> 107 490 207 245 Plant filing fee <input type="checkbox"/> 117 890 217 445 Extension for reply within 3 rd month <input type="checkbox"/> 108 710 208 355 Reissue filing fee <input type="checkbox"/> 118 1,390 218 695 Extension for reply within 4 th month <input type="checkbox"/> 114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee <input type="checkbox"/> 128 1,890 228 945 Extension for reply within 5 th month <input type="checkbox"/> SUBTOTAL (1) (\$710) 120 310 220 155 Notice of Appeal <input type="checkbox"/> 121 270 221 135 Filing a brief in support of an appeal <input type="checkbox"/> 138 1,510 138 1,510 Request for oral hearing <input type="checkbox"/> 140 110 240 55 Petition to institute a public use proceeding <input type="checkbox"/> 5. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Extra Claims Below Fee Paid Total Claims [49] • 20** = [29] x [18] = [522] 141 1,240 241 620 Petition to revive - unavoidable <input type="checkbox"/> Independent Claims [10] • 3** = [7] x [80] = [560] 142 1,240 242 620 Petition to revive - unintentional <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent [270] = [270] 143 440 243 220 Utility issue fee (or reissue) <input type="checkbox"/> ** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Code (\$) Code (\$) Code (\$) 103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20 144 600 244 300 Design issue fee <input type="checkbox"/> 102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3 122 130 122 130 Plant issue fee <input type="checkbox"/> 104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 123 50 123 50 Petitions to the Commissioner <input type="checkbox"/> 109 80 209 40 **Reissue independent claims over original patent 126 240 126 240 Petitions related to provisional applications <input type="checkbox"/> 110 18 210 9 **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent 581 40 581 40 Submission of IDS <input type="checkbox"/> SUBTOTAL (2) (\$1352) 146 710 246 355 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) <input type="checkbox"/> 149 710 249 355 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a)) <input type="checkbox"/> 179 710 279 355 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b)) <input type="checkbox"/> 169 710 249 355 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) <input type="checkbox"/> Other fee (specify) _____ Request for expedited examination of a design application <input type="checkbox"/> Other fee (specify) _____			

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